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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME  
AND REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF FILING RECEIPT

Dear Sir:

The undersigned agent hereby petitions for a three month extension of time for responding to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on June 20, 1991, up to and including December 20, 1991. The appropriate fee for this petition is calculated as follows:

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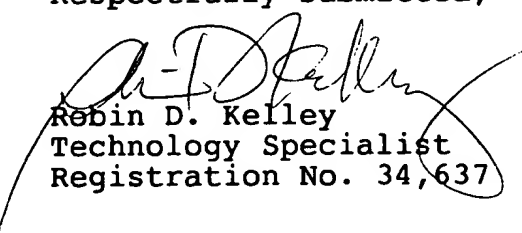
A check is enclosed in payment of the above fees. Please charge any additional amount which may be due in this matter, or credit any overpayment, to Applicant's Attorney's Deposit Account No. 20-0531. A copy of this petition also is enclosed.

Applicants also request that several errors in the Filing Receipt received for this application be corrected. A copy of the receipt is attached. Under "Applicant(s)", first line, replace "BUEGER" with --RUEGER--, and insert --WEST-- before "ROXBURY".

Under "Continuing Data as Claimed by Applicant", line 3, U.S.S.N. 232,630, filed 08/15/88, was expressly abandoned prior to issue. Accordingly, please replace "PAT 5,002,770" with --ABANDONED--.

Under "Continuing Data as Claimed by Applicant", last line, the listed patent number for U.S.S.N. 179,406 filed 04/08/88, is incorrect. Accordingly, please replace "PAT 4,968,090" with --PAT 4,968,590--.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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